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Steven Minson

EAST PEORIA - Steven C. Minson, 54, of Carman, Ill., formerly of East Peoria, died at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 10, 2007, in rural Lomax, Ill.

He was born on Oct. 27, 1952, in Peoria, Ill., to Clyde and Pauline Norville Minson. He married Diane Pretty in September 1972. He later married Maria Hayward (Doran) on Jan. 29, 2002, in Peoria, Ill. She survives.

Also surviving are his daughter, Michelle (Ben) Ballard of Washington, Ill.; son, Jeff Minson of Pekin, Ill.; one stepson, Shane Steck of East Peoria, Ill.; three stepdaughters, Tiffani (Jessie) Wilson of Chillicothe, Ill.; Alecia Steck of Peoria, Ill., and Shannon Steck of Chillicothe, Ill.; his parents, Clyde (Pauline) Minson of East Peoria, Ill.; five brothers, Robert (Ila) Minson of Hopedale, Ill., Elmer (Linda) Minson of East Peoria, Ill., Stan (Pam) Minson of East Peoria, Ill., Doug (Debbie) Minson of Sunnyland, Ill., and Roger (Dorothy) Minson of East Peoria, Ill.; and eight grandchildren, Tyler (whom he helped raise), Hannah, Gabriella, Kara, Emily, J.J., Kimmie and Hunter. They are expecting two more.

He was a veteran, serving in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserves.

Steven was an assembler for Caterpillar Inc. at building BB in Mossville, Ill., where he worked for 30 years before retiring in 2002.

He was a member of UAW Local 974 in East Peoria, Ill., and Ducks Unlimited.

He will be very missed by all who knew and loved him.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, March 14, 2007, at Deiters Funeral Home in Washington. Pastor Bill Lakota Eastin will officiate. Visitation will be held two hours prior to services from noon to 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be at Fondulac Cemetery in East Peoria, Ill.

Memorials may be made to Ducks Unlimited.

To send online condolences and view a video tribute, please visit
www.deitersfuneralhome.com.

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